

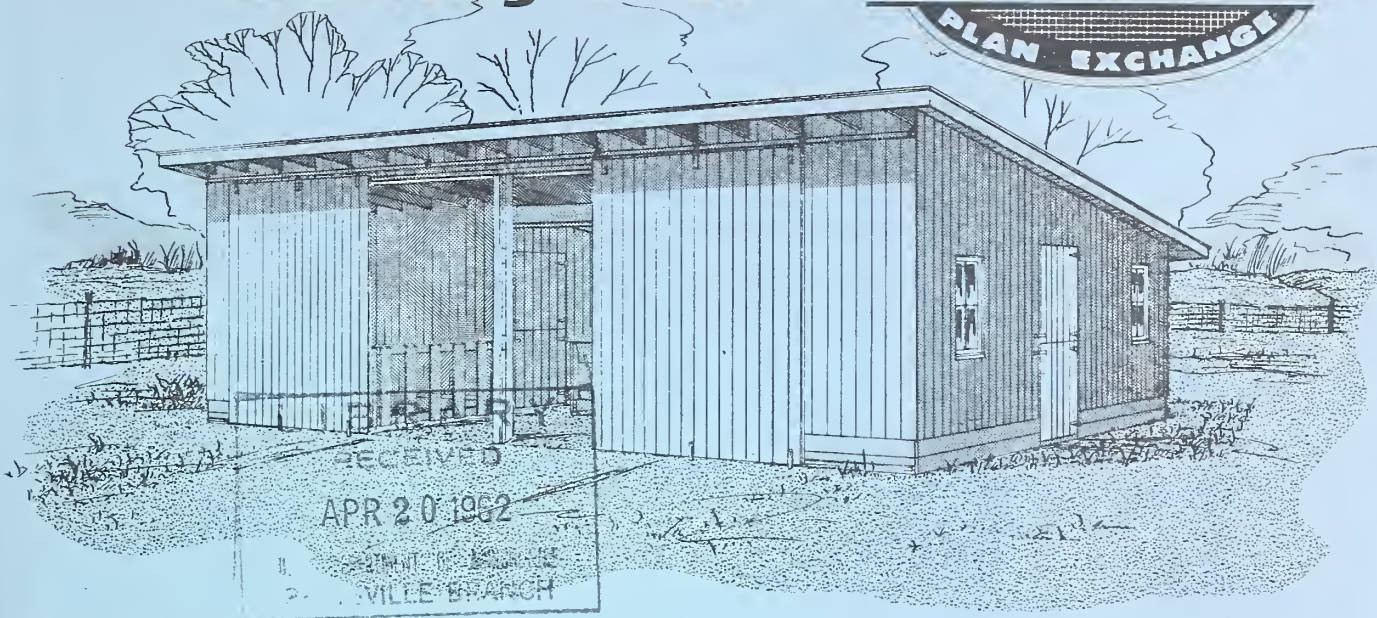
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# Sheep and Lambing Shed

COOPERATIVE  
FARM BUILDING  
Plan No. 5919  
(2-SHEETS)  
PLAN EXCHANGE



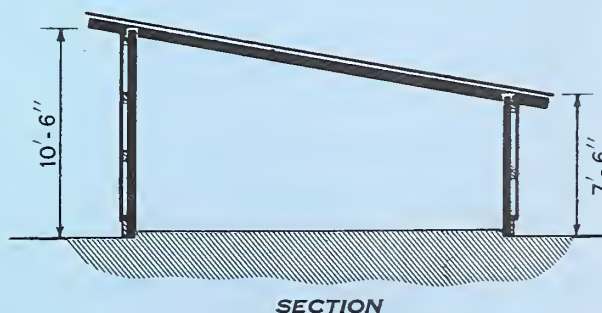
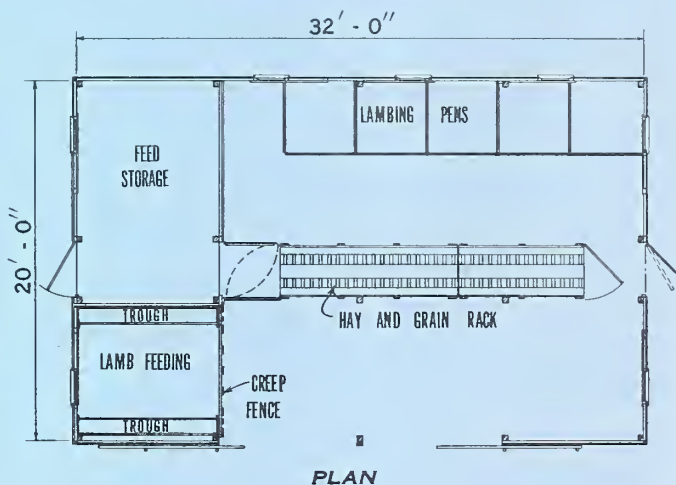
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This shed—with a feed room and the movable pen panels, creep, trough, and feed rack shown on the other side of this sheet—makes a complete unit for handling a small farm flock of sheep. The equipment must be movable so the shed can be arranged for special operations such as lambing, shearing, and fattening lambs. The feed room serves as a storage room and a shepherd's room at lambing time.

The building does not have to be heavily insulated, but the walls should be tight enough to prevent drafts and have enough insulation to prevent condensation (usually the equivalent of  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch of mineral wool is sufficient).

If electricity is available, circuits should be provided for infrared brooder lamps to warm newborn lambs. An electric heater might be desirable in the feed room at lambing time.

Feed should be stored in ratproof containers because it is difficult and costly to make the entire feed room ratproof.



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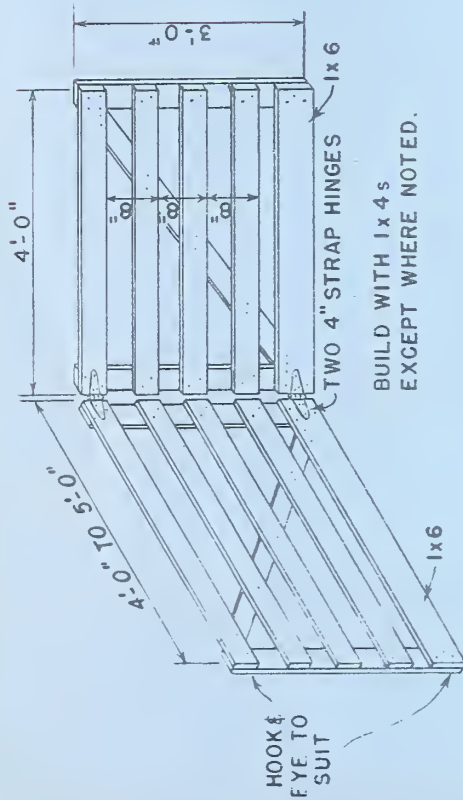
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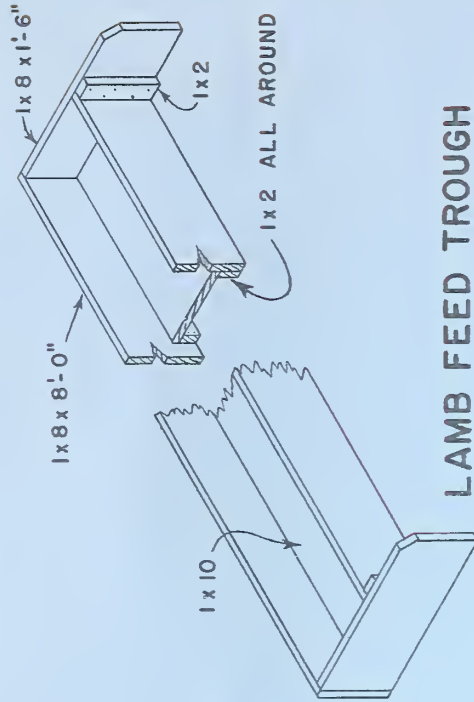
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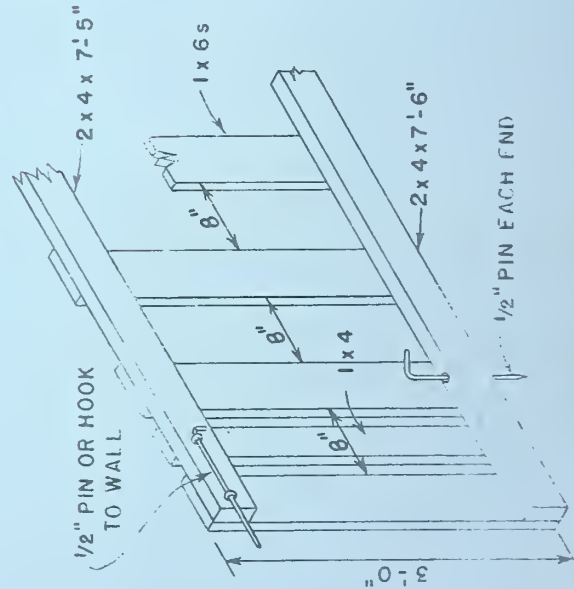
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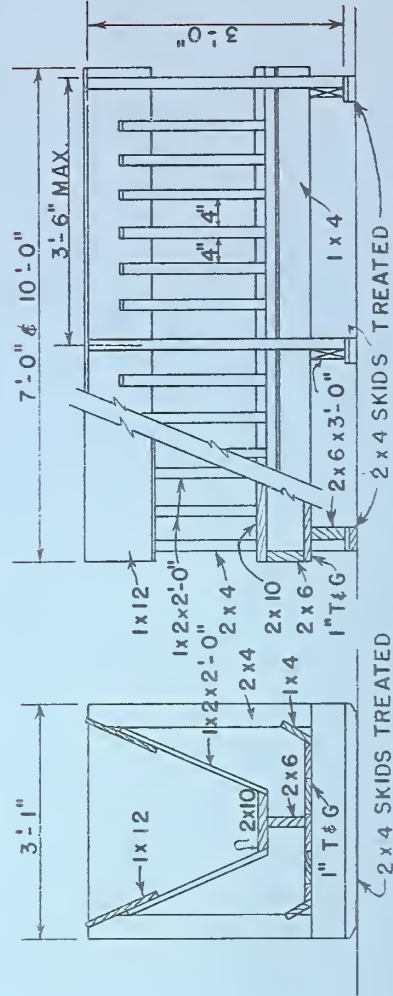
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